HOUSE BILL 2729

By Mumpower

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 65, Chapter 11 and Title 65, Chapter 12, relative to the prevention of railroad accidents.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 65-12-108, is amended by deleting subdivision (2) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following language:

(2) On approaching every public crossing marked in accordance with § 65-11-105 and every private crossing, the whistle or bell of the locomotive shall be sounded at the distance of one fourth (1/4) of a mile from the crossing and at short intervals until the train has passed the crossing;

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010, the public welfare requiring it.